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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Responsive to the action mailed November 6, 2002, applicants elect the invention of Group I, Claim 65, drawn to a method of treating an MKK-mediated disorder in a patient by administering an antibody. The polypeptide species elected for examination is MKK3. The election is made without traverse. A Petition for Extension of Time accompanies this Response.

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Respectfully submitted,

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